

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 14th inst.  
 Particulars will be announced.  
 Hongkong, 6th April, 1886. 1717

NOTICE.

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL acknowledges the receipt from Messrs. ARNOLD, KAHNBERG & Co., of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS in full of penalty for the dispatch of the S. S. *Montana* to Newchwang without Notice to the Post Office.  
 General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1886. 1718

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

M. R. HARRY ARNOLD WOOLNOUTH is appointed SECRETARY of the above named Company and is authorized to Sign for it in that capacity.

J. W. D. HUMPHREYS,  
 General Manager,  
 Hongkong Dispensary,  
 3rd April, 1886. 1719

THE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND  
 MACAO STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
 LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of April, 1886, at THREE O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON, for the purpose of confirming the Special Resolutions proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 3rd day of April, 1886.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the aforesaid Resolutions being duly confirmed, an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of April, 1886, at A QUARTER PAST THREE O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to empower the Board of Directors to sub-divide the present Shares of \$100 each of the Company into Shares of \$20 each.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
 T. ARNOLD,  
 Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1886. 1720

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"PEKING,"  
 Captain G. Heuermann, will be despatched to the above Port TO-DAY, the 5th inst., at FOUR P.M.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 BIEHSSEN & Co.  
 Hoagkong, 5th April, 1886. 1721

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.  
THE Company's Steamer

"IRAOUADY."  
Captain Bretel, will be despatched for  
SHANGHAI  
TO-MORROW, the 6th inst. at DAYLIGHT.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, 5th April, 1886.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.  
THE Company's Steamer

"VOLGA."  
Captain Du Temple, will be despatched for  
KOBE and YOKOHAMA.  
TO-MORROW, the 6th inst. at TEN A.M.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, 5th April, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR AMOY AND SHANGHAI.  
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rate  
for NINGPO, CHEUNG KONG, NEWHUANG, TIENSI  
HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSES).  
THE Company's Steamship

"NESTOR."  
Captain Chapman, will be despatched as abo  
TO-MORROW, the 6th inst. at NOON.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agent.  
Hongkong, 5th April, 1886.

FOR HAILFONG (SINGAPORE)  
The Steamship

"ALWINE".

Captain P. Meos, will be dispatched for  
above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 7th inst.  
at DAYLIGHT.

To: Freight or Passage, apply to  
A. E. MARTY,  
Hongkong, 5th April, 1880.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF  
HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—GILMAN A. MOW, residing  
No. 42, Wilson Street, Hongkong,  
having been adjudged Bankrupt under a  
Writ of Habeas Corpus, filed in the Supre-  
me Court of Hongkong, in Bankruptcy, on  
30th day of March, 1880, is hereby requir-  
ed to surrender himself, and Acting Receiver of  
Writs, Equities, and Actions, of the said  
Court, the First Meeting of Creditors  
to be held by the said Acting Registrar  
MONDAY, the 10th day of April, 1880,  
11 O'CLOCK in the Forenoon, precisely, at  
Chambers in the Supreme Court House.

The said ALFRED GARCONTE WISE, Esq.,  
is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. S. B.  
JOHNSON, & BROOKS are the Solicitors in  
Bankruptcy.

All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt  
who have any Property or Effects of his in  
possession are hereby warned not to pay the  
Debts or deliver the Property of his  
except to the said Assignee.

A public Sitting will hereafter be appointed  
by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to  
his last and final Examination, and to make an  
account for his Discharge, of which sitting no  
will be given in the *Hongkong Chinese  
Gazette*.

At the First Meeting of Creditors, the Regis-  
trars will receive the Proofs of the Debts of the  
Debtors, and the Creditors who shall have pre-  
pared their Debts respectively, or the majority in  
value of the said Credits, to be presented  
to the said Court, and to the said Regis-  
trars, at a special Meeting, an Assignee or  
signees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects  
be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assign-  
ees.

Dated the 2nd day of April, 1880.

S. B. JOHNSON, & STOKES,  
Solicitors acting in the said Bankrupt  
Supreme Court House.

PIANOS.

THIRD Undersigned here to announce  
that he is SOLE AGENT for Hongkong,  
China, Corea, and Japan for the SINGAPORE  
PIANOS, by Messrs M. P. RACHAEL &  
Hamburg, and Messrs. SCHUMACHER &  
Stuttgart.

SYDENHAM MOUTRIE,  
THE PIANOFORTE AND MUSIC Warehouse,  
Shanghai.

1st January, 1880.

## FOR SALE.

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**THE CHINA DIRECTORY**  
(Twenty-Fourth Annual Issue)  
ROYAL OCTAVO, pp. 1,133 with plans \$3.00.  
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has been thoroughly revised and brought up to date, and is again much increased in bulk.

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Do. Ladies' Directory JAPAN.  
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## INTIMATIONS.

NEW KINDS OF

PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

ENGLISH AND GLASS BOTTLES.

DOULTON WARE.

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FANCY GOODS.

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during the continuance of this advertisement.

A. S. WATSON &amp; CO.,

LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 20th February, 1896.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications on Editorial matters should be

addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The

Manager," and not to individuals by name.

Correspondents are requested to forward their names

and address with communications addressed to the

Editor, for publication, but as evidence of good

faith.

All letters for publication should be written on one

side of the paper only.

Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not

ordered for a fixed period will be continued until

countermanded.

Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should

be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication.

After that hour no supply is limited.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, APRIL 5th, 1896.

As briefly stated in Saturday's issue, we are

quite at a loss to conceive any adequate

grounds for the refusal of the United States

Government to entertain the claim advanced

by China for an indemnity for the losses

sustained by Chinese subjects during the

brutal massacre at Rock Springs and the

subsequent outrages. The position taken up

by President Cleveland seems to be to

be quite untenable, in equity as well as in

law. It is interesting to note how the

Washington Government has

shifted ground since the last Chinese claim

was made in 1879 after the Denver dis-

turbances, in which the Chinese residents in

that city suffered serious injuries to person

and property and one of them was killed.

The Chinese Minister at Washington, in

making application that the Chinese owners

of the property then destroyed should be

compensated for their losses, placed the

amount at \$53,655. Mr. Secretary Evans

put this claim in a very decided negative

in the following terms:—

It seems expedient to recall your attention to the

fact that the United States Government has

never recognized the right of a foreign

Government to demand compensation for

losses sustained by its subjects in this

country. Such claims are peculiar to our

country, and are not recognized by the

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offering dictated by compassion. The one

is as clear as noonday and really admits

of no argument. The peaceful Chinese

miners at Rock Springs, in Wyoming, were

suddenly set upon by an armed mob, shot

down like unresisting sheep, plundered, and

driven away. It matters little—so far

as responsibility goes—whether that

murderous mob was composed of American

citizens or aliens, for the authorities were

American, and they, to use President Cleve-

land's own words, discredited failed to

secure justice for the outrage, while their

inability if not unwillingness to afford the

Chinese protection during the outbreak was

only too plainly demonstrated by its

sanctioning result. We venture to assert that

the claim of the Peking Government for an

indemnity for the outrages on Chinese sub-

jects in the United States and the losses

thereby sustained will be regarded as fair

and reasonable by the entire civilized world.

The Hongkong Ice Company notify that the

price of their ice has now been fixed.

The Times' Gazette states that Senator Frederico

Forais has been appointed Consul for Portugal

in Siam.

Mr. Paul Burt has been most enthusiastically

received at Saigon, and he was to be entertained

at a public dinner on the 20th March.

The Hongkong transport Africa went over to

the Cosmopolis docks, and the British steamer

Edith to the Kowloon docks on Saturday.

The business done at the Police Court on

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## INSURANCES.

## SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS

SUBANCES at Current Rates.  
 AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China  
 and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang,  
 and the Philippine.  
 S. B. COUGHTREY,  
 Secretary.  
 Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. 1708a

**T**HE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.

PUSTAU & Co.  
Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [697]

**"SUSSEX."**  
J. Malcolm, Master, will load here for the above  
port, and will have quick despatch.  
For Freight, apply to **RUSSELL & Co.**

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3.—Postal Notes should always be forwarded in Registered Covers. If this precaution is not taken no ENQUIRIES WHATSOEVER will be made as to the loss or alleged loss of any Note. No refund can be made in any case.

L. v. Vangerow	Dec. 27	Amr. sh	1050	Smith, Bell & Co	R. Steiner
Mondita	Oct. 20	Ger. bk	492	Order	U. States
Nervion	May 6	Spain, bk	595	Smith, Bell & Co	
St. Stefano	Jan. 15	Brit. sh	1196	Order	
Vectara	Nov. 18	Spain, bk	992	J. Reyes & Co	

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